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In re Patent Application of:
Yoshiaki Shiota

Application No.: 09/220,434

Group Art Unit: 2665

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For: FRAME-RELAY FRAME TRANSMISSION CIRCUIT

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated January 29, 2003 (Paper No. 12), finally rejecting claims 1-11, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

FEE CALCULATION

Any additional fee required has been calculated as follows:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid	Number Extra Claims Present	Rate	Additional Fee
Total	11	- 20* =		x	0.00
Independent	4	- 3** =	1	x 84.00	84.00
First presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim(s) (if applicable)					
TOTAL					84.00

*not less than 20

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